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that you need to report? Any messages or anything?

CLERK: Yes, I do. Thank you. Appropriations Committee reports 1061 to General File. Senator Wickersham has amendments to 847A, and I have a new resolution, 342 by Senator Fisher asking the Legislature to recognize the week of March 18 to 24 as Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Week. That will be laid over. That's all that I have, Madam President. (See pages 1193-94 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CROSBY: We'll begin General File as on your agenda, LB 1218A. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LB 1218A by Senator Kristensen. (Read title.)

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Kristensen to open.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Madam President, members of the Legislature. This is the A bill that is the accompaniment to LB 1218 that we did earlier and is now sitting on Final Reading. That bill, obviously, won't have any action until the budget bill comes across, but what this does is carry out the transfers. This is the one-stop bill. This changes and makes the transfers of the monies from the various cash funds. It collapses the two cash funds into the one that we now are doing and creating as we try to consolidate and change the way we do our motor carrier registration, titling and so on, payment of taxes, and this would carry out those provisions. You will see that there is a salary decrease because there are the change of the five investigator positions out of the Public Service Commission and I would be happy to answer any questions and would move the advancement to E & R Initial of 1218A.

SENATOR CROSBY: Discussion on 1218A. Senator Bernard-Stevens.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: Senator Kristensen, I appreciate the tone that we're taking today because it's kind of a sleepy afternoon and if we just kind of keep everything calm and quiet things will move on perfectly fine and I support the A bill at this point and hope that it advances. Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Bernard-Stevens. Any further discussion? Seeing none, Senator Kristensen, would you like to close?